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BOARD TO HOLD PUBLIC MEETINGS ON PROPOSED TEACHER CERTIFICATION RULE

(Boise). The Idaho State Board of Education will hold public meetings across the state to answer questions and take feedback on the new rule regarding teacher certification in Idaho. The meetings will provide information and seek comment on the Proposed Administrative Rule based on the work of a stakeholder committee tasked with developing a plan to implement tiered licensure and a career compensation ladder as recommended by the 2013 Task Force for Improving Education. The committee has been meeting since April, and its recommendations are reflected in the proposed rule.

The rule was published in the Administrative Bulletin today, and can be found at the link below:
<http://adminrules.idaho.gov/bulletin/2014/10.pdf> (Page 92).

Meetings will be held at the following locations:

Tues., Oct. 7, 7:00 PM	Pocatello	Idaho State University Student Union Salmon River Room
Tues., Oct. 14, 7:00 PM	Lewiston	Lewis-Clark State College, Meriwether Lewis Hall Room 100
Tues., Oct. 21, 7:00 PM	Meridian	Mountain View High School Lecture Hall

NOTE: The Oct. 21st meeting has been moved to a larger venue.

After a brief presentation, a moderator will take comments as well as questions from attendees, with Board members and staff responding. Comments should focus on the proposed rule. Written comments are encouraged and will be entered into the record. Those not able to attend one of the meetings can pose questions or provide feedback and comments on the proposed rule via email to tracie.bent@osbe.idaho.gov.

The proposed rule and information on the Career Ladder/Tiered Licensure Committee are available on the State Board's website at www.boardofed.idaho.gov.

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